



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 2024**
Kazunori KATAOKA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004_1437A
Serial No. 10/507,303 : Group Art Unit 1641
Filed October 7, 2004 : Examiner Shafiqul Haq
BRUSH-LIKE STRUCTURED SURFACE OF : **Mail Stop: AF**
POLY (ETHYLENE OXIDE) HAVING
ELEVATED DENSITY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE UNDER 37.CFR1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1600**

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of
July 12, 2006.

The fee of \$1,020.00 is

(X) submitted herewith.

() to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is
enclosed.

() Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion
which

() is enclosed.

() has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

Kazunori KATAOKA et al.

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

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